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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

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Reply not fully responsive: drawing requirement.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of the proposed corrected drawings filed April 19, 2004. However, the proposed drawings are not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the sequences depicted in Figures 6A-6D do not correspond to the description of Figure 6 in the specification. In particular, while the description of Figure 6 recites "(SEQ ID Nos: 6-25, 20, 21, 26-43, 65, 66, 44-63, 67, 64 respectively)," a review of the sequences of Figures 6A-6D (as compared to Applicant's Sequence Listing) reveals that this order does not in fact correspond to the order of the sequences depicted in proposed Figures 6A-6D. Accordingly, in response to this Notice, Applicant must provide either new corrected drawings, or an amendment to the specification that accurately describes the sequences of proposed Figures 6A-6D, such that those Figures may be accepted.

2. It is noted that the Office action of December 18, 2003 stated that:

A proper drawing correction or corrected drawings are required in reply to the Office action to avoid abandonment of the application. The correction to the drawings will not be held in abeyance.

It is further noted that, until corrected drawings or an amendment to the specification are filed, Applicant will not be in full compliance with the Sequence Rules (37 CFR § 1.821 through 1.825), because the specification recites sequences that lack description by the appropriate sequence identifier set forth in the "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR § 1.821(d).

2. **In order to avoid abandonment**, the drawing informalities noted in the Office action mailed on December 18, 2003, must now be corrected. See 37 CFR 1.111.

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3. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Diana B. Johannsen whose telephone number is 571/272-0744. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday, 7:30 am-4:00 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, W. Gary Jones can be reached at 571/272-0745. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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